

385.211 of the Commission's Regulations. All such protests must be filed as provided in Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceedings. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room.

Lois D. Cashell,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP97-474-000]

Columbia Gulf Transmission Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

August 29, 1997.

Take notice that on August 26, 1997, Columbia Gulf Transmission Company (Columbia Gulf) tendered for filing to become part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, the following revised tariff sheets, bearing a proposed effective date of September 1, 1997:

Third Revised Sheet No. 144
Fourth Revised Sheet No. 145
Second Revised Sheet No. 146A

Columbia Gulf states that the purpose of this filing is to comply with the Commission's Order No. 636-C wherein the Commission established five years as the maximum length contract term that must be matched by a shipper exercising its right of first refusal. In Order No. 636-C, the Commission further directed pipelines to reflect this five-year term matching cap in their right of first refusal tariff provisions within 180 days from issuance of Order No. 636-C. Columbia Gulf states that it has revised its General Terms and Conditions Sections 4.1(c) (1), (4) and 4.2(d) to provide that the longest contract term that a shipper exercising its right of first refusal must match is five years.

Columbia Gulf states that copies of its filing have been mailed to all firm customers, interruptible customers, and affected state commissions.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C.

20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 and 385.211 of the Commission's Regulations. All such interventions or protests must be filed as provided in Section 154.210 of the Commission's regulations. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceedings. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. A copy of this filing is on file with the Commission and is available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room.

Lois D. Cashell,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER97-4258-000]

Commonwealth Electric Company, Cambridge Electric Light Company; Notice of Filing

August 29, 1997.

Take notice that on July 8, 1997, Commonwealth Electric Company and Cambridge Electric Light Company tendered for filing their first quarterly report of transactions under their market-based power sales tariffs for the period of April 1, 1997 to June 30, 1997.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214). All such motions or protests should be filed on or before September 5, 1997. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make any protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

Lois D. Cashell,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. TM98-1-24-000]

Equitrans, L.P.; Notice of Proposed Change in FERC Gas Tariff

August 29, 1997.

Take notice that on August 27, 1997, Equitrans, L.P. (Equitrans), tendered for filing to become part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets to be effective October 1, 1997:

Primary Tariff Sheets

Ninth Revised Sheet No. 5
Tenth Revised Sheet No. 6
Eighth Revised Sheet No. 8

Alternate Tariff Sheets

Alt Ninth Revised Sheet No. 5
Alt Tenth Revised Sheet No. 6
Alt Eighth Revised Sheet No. 8

Pursuant to Order No. 472, the Commission has authorized pipeline companies to track and pass through to their customers their annual charges under an Annual Charge Adjustment (ACA) clause. The 1997 ACA unit surcharge approved by the Commission is \$.0022 per Dth.

Equitrans states that it is filing primary and alternate tariff sheets to implement the change to its ACA unit surcharge. The primary and alternate sheets reflect no difference in the level of the ACA charge, and are filed to correspond to the primary and alternate rate sheets which Equitrans has filed in its general Section 4 rate case in Docket No. RP97-346.

Pursuant to Section 154.207 of the Commission's Regulations, Equitrans requests that the Commission grant any waivers necessary to permit the tariff sheets contained herein to become effective October 1, 1997.

Equitrans states that a copy of its filing has been served upon its customers and interested state commissions.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 and 385.214 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed in accordance with Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to

the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP97-475-000]

Great Lakes Gas Transmission Limited Partnership; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

August 29, 1997.

Take notice that on August 26, 1997, Great Lakes Gas Transmission Limited Partnership (Great Lakes) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, Second Revised Sheet No. 45 and First Revised Sheet No. 46, proposed to be effective October 1, 1997.

Great Lakes stated that the above-named tariff sheets are being filed to comply with the Commission's Order No. 636-C, 78 FERC ¶ 61,186 (1997), in which the matching term for the right-of-first-refusal procedures was revised from twenty years to five years. Order 636-C was issued by the Commission following the remand of six issues by the Court of Appeals for the *District of Columbia in United Distribution Cos. v. FERC*, 88 F. 3d 1105 (D.C. Cir. 1996).

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Section 385.214 and Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed as provided in Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Commission's Public Reference Room.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP97-479-000]

Koch Gateway Pipeline Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

August 29, 1997.

Take notice that on August 26, 1997, Koch Gateway Pipeline Company (Koch) tendered for filing to become part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Fifth Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets to be effective September 25, 1997:

First Revised Sheet No. 300

Fourth Revised Sheet No. 3702

Koch states that this filing is in compliance with the Commission's February 27, 1997, "Order on Remand", Docket No. RM91-11-006. As directed in the Order, Koch is revising its tariff sheets to allow NNS service to all customers, and to reduce the matching requirement of a right of first refusal customer to a maximum of five years.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 and 385.211 of the Commission's Regulations. All such motions or protest must be filed as provided in Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceedings. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP97-443-001]

Northern Border Pipeline Company; Notice of Compliance Filing

August 29, 1997.

Take notice that on August 26, 1997, Northern Border Pipeline Company (Northern Border) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised

Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets to become effective September 25, 1997:

Substitute First Revised Sheet Number 119

First Revised Sheet Number 121

First Revised Sheet Number 123

Second Revised Sheet Number 124

Northern Border asserts that the purpose of this filing is to make further revisions in its tariff in addition to the proposed tariff changes initially filed in this docket on August 8, 1997 in compliance with Order No. 636-C, issued February 27, 1997, in Docket Nos. RM91-11-006 and RM87-34-072. In Order No. 636-C, the Commission required that any pipeline with a right-of-first refusal tariff provision containing a contract term longer than five years revise its tariff to reflect the new five year cap.

Any person desiring to protest this filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such protests must be filed as provided in Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP97-702-000]

Northern Natural Gas Co.; Request Under Blanket Authorization

August 29, 1997.

Take notice that on August 20, 1997, Northern Natural Gas Company (Northern), 1111 South 103rd Street, Omaha, Nebraska 68124-1000, filed in Docket No. CP97-702-000 a request pursuant to §§ 157.205, and 157.212, of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205, 157.212) for authorization to install and operate a new delivery point in Brown County, Minnesota under Northern's blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP82-401-000 pursuant to section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, all as more fully set forth in the request that is on file with